



## CONSULATE GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES CHICAGO

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### FAHM CELEBRATION IN CHICAGO HONORS OUTSTANDING FIL-AM SENIORS

In conjunction with the celebration of the Filipino-American History Month (FAHM) last October all throughout the United States, the Philippine-American Cultural Foundation Inc. (PACF) in Chicago organized a Luncheon on October 14, 2017 at Four Points Sheraton in Schiller Park, Illinois in honor of FAHM Outstanding Seniors who were recognized for their civic leadership and pioneering spirit.

Consul General Gina Jamoralin delivered her remarks during the event and paid tribute to the awardees for their significant contribution to the Filipino community not only in Chicago but also in the State of Illinois. She also urged the Filipino community to vote in the forthcoming US midterm elections as a civic duty and to reflect the strength and interests of the Filipinos in the United States. The outstanding seniors who were all experts in their respective fields of endeavors thanked the PACF upon receiving the plaque of appreciation individually from Consul General Jamoralin who read out the citation.

Consul General Jamoralin also received a plaque of appreciation from PACF for her presence during the important event. PACF's main mission is to promote Filipino culture and heritage in the United States by spearheading Fil-Am activities in Illinois, such as the annual *Piyesta Pinoy* in Bolingbrook. END



Consul General Jamoralin delivering her inspiration message with the awardees looking on.





One of the outstanding Senior Awardees happily receiving her plaque from Consul General Jamorain and her bouquet of flowers from Ms. Adeline Fajardo, PACF President



Group photo with all the Outstanding Seniors awardees



Congen Jamorain receiving her plaque of appreciation from PACF officers led by Ms. Adeline Fajardo, PACF President and Ms. Merle Salazar, Event Co-Chair together with Ms. Girlie Pascual (extreme left) who emceed the event with Mr. Jan Paul Ferrer.